

Do you Want your Health Information Shared Electronically through ILHIE Connect?

We are part of the Illinois Health information Exchange Authority's ILHIE Connect (ILHIE Connect), a statewide electronic network for sharing a summary of your health information between health care providers, as well as health insurance plans. These health care providers include physicians, hospitals, pharmacies and laboratories. Sharing your health information may provide you with better health care and assist with treatment, payment and health care operations. Your health information may only be viewed and used by ILHIE Connect users for legally authorized purposes. For example, health care providers can access your information to treat you, and health insurance plans can access your information to pay your claims. Certain specially protected health information will not be shared through ILHIE Connect unless you consent.

If you do not want your health information to be shared by us through ILHIE Connect, you can choose to opt-out of ILHIE Connect. For more information or to get an "ILHIE Connect Opt-Out Form," ask this office or visit

<http://www2.illinois.gov/gov/HIE/Pages/ILHIEPatientParticipation.aspx>.

For more information about ILHIE Connect, visit www.hie.illinois.gov.



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